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#### Janis Graham Jack

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1946

Education: Baltimore 1974 BA; South Texas 1981 JD

Began Service: March 14, 1994

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Government: Member, Board of Equalization, City of Corpus Christi, Texas

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1981-1994)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Fifth Circuit District Judges Association; Maritime Law Association of the United States; National Association of Women Judges; Philosophical Society of Texas; State Bar of Texas; Texas Bar Foundation, State Bar of Texas

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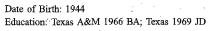
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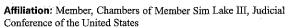
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#### Sim Lake District Judge



Began Service: September 2, 1988 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan



Legal Practice: Associate, Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P. (1969-1970); Partner, Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P. (1972-1988)

Military Service: United States Army (1970-1971)

Current Memberships: The American Law Institute; Houston Bar Association; Houston Bar Foundation, Houston Bar Association; State Bar of Texas; Texas Bar Foundation, State Bar of Texas

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Gray Hampton Miller

District Judge

Education: Houston 1974 BA, 1978 JD

Began Service: May 2006

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Legal Practice: Associate, Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P. (1978-1986); Partner, Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P. (1986-2006)

Current Memberships: American Arbitration Association, American Bar Association, Houston Bar Association, Houston

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## John D. Rainey

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1945

Education: Southern Methodist 1967 BBA, 1972 JD

Began Service: May 28, 1990

Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

Judicial: Judge, Texas District Court, 149th Judicial District (1987-1990)

Legal Practice: Taylor, Mizell, Price, Corrigan & Smith (1973-1979); Partner, Gilbert, Gilbert & Rainey (1979-1982); Partner, Rainey & LeBoeuf (1982-1986)

Military Service: United States Army (1969-1970)

**Current Memberships:** State Bar of Texas; Texas Bar Foundation, State Bar of Texas; Victoria County Bar Association

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#### Lee H. Rosenthal

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1952

Education: Chicago 1974 BA, 1977 JD

Began Service: 1992

Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable John R. Brown, United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit (1977-1978)

Legal Practice: Attorney, Baker Botts L.L.P. (1978-1992)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The American Inns of Court; The American Law Institute; Houston Bar Association; State Bar of Texas; Texas Bar Foundation, State Bar of Texas

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## Hilda G. Tagle

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1946

Education: East Texas State BA; North Texas State MLS; Texas JD

Began Service: March 27, 1998

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Government: Assistant City Attorney, Office of the City Attorney, Office of the City Manager, City of Corpus Christi, Texas (1977-1978); Assistant County Attorney, Office of the County Attorney, County of Nueces, Texas (1978-1980); Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, County of Nueces, Texas (1980-1981)

Judicial: Judge, Texas District Court, 148th District, Nueces County; Judge, Nueces County Court at Law No. 3

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## George P. Kazen

Date of Birth: 1940

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Senior Judge

Education: Texas 1960 BBA, 1961 JD

Began Service: May 29, 2009

Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, School of Law, St. Mary's University (1990-1999)

**Government:** Briefing Attorney, Supreme Court of Texas (1961-1962)

Judicial: Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas (2003)

Legal Practice: Partner, Mann, Freed, Kazen & Hansen (1965-1979)

### Chambers of Senior Judge George P. Kazen continued

Military Service: United States Air Force (1962-1965)

Current Memberships: Laredo-Webb County Bar Association; State Bar of Texas; Texas Bar Foundation, State Bar of Texas

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#### David Hittner

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1939 Education: NYU 1961 BS, 1964 JD

Began Service: June 9, 1986

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Judicial: Judge, Texas District Court, 133rd District (1978-1986)

Legal Practice: Associate, Lynch, Chappell, Allday & Hamilton (1967-1968); Diamond and Totz (1968-1972); Partner, Hittner & Cezeaux (and predecessor firms) (1972-1978)

Military Service: United States Army (1965-1966)

Current Memberships: The American Law Institute; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Fifth Circuit District Judges Association; Houston Bar Association; Houston Bar Association; Houston Bar Association; The New York State Bar Association; State Bar of Texas; Texas Bar Foundation, State Bar of Texas

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## Ewing Werlein, Jr.

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1936

Education: Southern Methodist 1958 BA; Texas 1961 LLB

Began Service: May 22, 1992

Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1961); Attorney, Vinson & Elkins L.L.P. (1964-1992)

**Military Service**: United States Air Force (1961-1964); United States Air Force Reserve (1964-1971)

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